

TURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1904

IN THE HAPPY RANKS.

shiver not at shadows on Jordan's stormy banks,

we're singin'-O, we're singin' of the halleluia time! Dark hills an' steep bill's, But yonder's the light; Home's o'er the river— Home is in sight!

shiver not at shadows-the thorny ways we tread, reap eternal lilles from the green graves of our dead; world with joy is ringin -a song that soars sublime re singin'-C, we're singin' of the balleluia time!

Dark hills an' steep hills, But yonder's the light; Home's o'er the river— Home is in sight!

Bright stars there in the shadows; and over welcome of the bells!

22he old friends—how they becken to a fair an' friendly clime; They're singin'-O they're singin' of the

Dark hills an' steep hills, But dreams of the light; Home's o'er the river—
Home is in sight!
L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

DEVELOPING A PHOTOGRAPH &

By J. C. PLUMMER

REV. MR. SIGSBY allowed himself to be helped the fourth time to whicken, made no opposition when his coup was filled with coffee and was sequally passive when Mrs. Cody placed a large piece of fried mush beside the

"It's a sad Thing about Capt. Carr," smurmured Mrs. Cody.

Rev. Sigsby sniffed, "People who pre-Her to sail in boats and fish on the Ford's day rather than hear His Word maust come to grief," quoth he.

"But his wife and children went to "hurch," growled Capt. Cody, morosely. "The sins of the father descend upon bis children, said Mr. Sig by. "It is hard to understand to our imperfect mature, but such is the law of God." "Our imperfect nature generally



I FANCY THERE'S NO DOUBT OF HIS GUILT."

holds a man innocent 'till he's found guilty," growled Capt. Cody again. "I fancy," said Rev. Sigsby, "there's

no doubt of his guilt. Mr. Fanning is such a model Christian that he would not make a charge unless he had good "oundation." "Sins of the fathers on the children,"

said Capt. Cody, after Rev. Sigsby had departed. "If the Almighty was to come on earth He'd be bus; telling people He wasn't like what these Sigsbys make Him out to be."

Mrs. Cody stopped up her ears. "It was a sad thing about Capt, Carr. that may be traced to the "bolting" of Bilson & Clark, he had been placed ters'? asks the thica, Journal. Yet it would seem that even a "quick Mr. Fanning, who had come rather sudand manager for the firm, he discovered, after he had been two years in his suspended at once and against the ed, but was placed under surveillance.

ended and where he was a valuable assistant in Sunday school, to a man and planning, thinking, thinking? Not long woman believed Capt. Carr guilty ner, who had recently married, "took While his wife and children attended the church he rarely entered its doors. and so prejudic d the congregation against him. Since his misfortune his wife had found the a mosphere of the minor affair as his marriage! thurch so chilling that she stopped attending and the congregation placed her beside her had on its books. But the entire mornine circle, captains,

enates and boatsweet all scouted the dea of Capt Carr' guilt. They declared there was some mistake and in a most loyal marner visited the cancain and swore leatily at Mr. Fanning. "I don't know not ing," grouned the

newildered Capt Carr. "I can't remember stealing Timey, but the way Mr. Fanning Sone it. But when half ers me is what mid I do with the money?"

"You never stole !!! Laundered Capt,

mates and boatswains

But people who once spoke to Capt. Carr passed him silently and his chilfren had no playmates on the street. "That's Mr. Fanning," said a man pointing out the manager to Capt. Cody

Capt. Cody had just returned from voyage to the Pacific and had never cheld the manager.

He glanced at him with the air of man who is compelled to stare at omething very disagreeable, then his lance became fixed and after Fanning had passed he hastened around the square so that he would meet the manager once more.

"Where have I seen a man just like him?" said Capt. Cody, to himself. But though the photograph of a man's face, like, very like, unto Mr. Fanning's was impressed on the captain's mind the film would not develop. It was misty and yet it was a face. It worried the music's ringin'-the tells are all the captain. He went over the world in his mind. He confronted himsel with men in fezs, in turbans and it sombreros. He marshaled before his mental eye the crews he had commanded, but the film remained clouded and imperfect.

There was an ingredient lacking, a touch needed, and neither was within the captain's reach. He lost his appetite and kept Mrs. Cody awake with his restlessness

Capt. Cody waxed cross and peevish as he struggled with his imperfect photograph, and when a lady called to see him he went into the parlor in a bad humor.

The lady had a son who was on a voyage to Demerara and she had heard some stories about its deadly climate and hastened to Capt. Cody for his opinion. He reassured her and remained sitting in the parlor after she had gone. Demerara! He had not been there for years, but the memory of the pea-soup colored river came with its flat banks and the sugar sheds and white houses of the town came back to him. Then the missing ingredient came to his hand. The film beame gradually a portrait, clear and nistinct. Fanning it was, and Demerara was where he had seen him. Following close on the perfection of the film came facts. Like links in a chain they welded one in another. Fanning, he had seen him on board the Vixen, Capt. Chapman; and the Fanning he saw there had manacles on his wrists and was in the cabin of the steamer with a grim looking man alongside of

"Chapman's in Norfolk now," murnured Capt. Cody. He went to Norfolk on that evening's

Capts. Cody and Chapman stood on the street corner opposite the ware house of Bilson & Clark, much as two marksmen would stand awaiting the appearance of some wily game bird. "He'll go out for dinner," said Cody. 'and then you'll see him. Fanning

came out and walked up the street as became a man at peace with the world. "It's him," said Chapman. .. "Somers! Robbed a house in Berbice of a big sum, made his lucky escape to Demerara, was caught and put on my steamer for return to Berbice. Managed to slip his handcuffs just as we came into Berbice at night and plumped overboard. Must have caught a boatman and bribed him to hide him. He's wanted out there

badly. "What'll you do?" asked Capt. Cody. 'I'll call on him to-night," replied Capt. Chapman, grimly.

Somers, alias Fanning, at first denied everything flatly. But his face was the olor of white clay and his knees smote one another as he blustered. It was no good. Chapman had his proofs pat and Somers threw up the game. He was willing to confess and put the confession in writing that he had doctored the wharfage boo's so as to throw the blame on Capt. Carr for a discrenancy. the result of his own peculations.

"Now," said Capt. Chapman, "make your best time out of this port, and eep out of it."

The \$2,000 was not the only discrepancy which Bilson & Clark discovered when they went over the accounts of Mr. Fanning, who had come to them with forged letters of recommendation. Detectives hunted for Mr. Fanning without success and Eilson & Clark had to charge the defalcation off to profit and loss without even the gratification of revenge.

Capt. Carr resumed his post as chief of the wharves belonging to the firm.

TRACEDY IN QUICK LUNCH. Life Has Become So Rapid in Big Me-

tropelis That Little Time Is Who can write the life-tragedies

After 30 years' sea service for the house of luncheons at "quic.-lunc coun-Mr. Fanning, who had come rather sud-lendy into town, became head cashier are igns in the undows and over the door o. : cer al.: :est_urant announing, "The Quicker Lunch." ".'he position, grave discrepancies in Capt. Quickest Lunch" will probably soon Carr's accounts. Further investiga- follow, Has life become so rapid that ions made the captain out a defaulter a man cannot take time to eat? Is it some \$2.000, the result of false entries possible that he can allow himself only of wharfages received. Capt. Carr was ten minutes for luncheon; and that, wishes of the manager was not arrestto smile, or to turn off the steam, but must keep the throttle valve of his The church, where Mr. Fanning at- thinking machine wide open, planning, ago a business man said that his parthis wedding trip on an elevator in a skyscraper." It was the only time he

> A Russian immigrant of tender age was being registered in a downtown Philadelphia school. The teacher questioned: "What is your name?" 'Katinka," replied the child. "And your father's name?" "I never hat cne," came the quick response. "Then tell me your mother's name," again said the teacher, kindly. "I never hat no mudder neither," answered Katinka, seriously; "I was born off my gran mudder."

The Reason. Peter, Peter, pumpkin eater. Had a wife and none was neater, He loved her much and he was wise, For she could take nice pumpkin ples. -Chicago Chronicle,

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A Good Definition. Teacher-What is the ninth command-

ment? Small Johnny-Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor. Teacher-What is meant by bearing false witness against a neighbor? Small Johnny-It's when nobody does anything and somebody goes and tells it.-Cincinnati Enquirer.

Sizing Him Up. "Pardon me," said the seedy-looking man, who was laboring over a letter in the hotel writing room, "but can you tell me how to spell 'temporarily'?" "Certainly," replied his shrewd neighbor, giving the desired information, "and the other word is 'e-m-b-a-r-ra-s-s-e-d." - Philadelphia Press.

A Sore Experience. The Sunday school lesson was about the "Parable of the Sower." Before she told the narrative to the class, the teacher as ed the children if they knew what a sower was. "Of course, I know," said Robert. 'It is something on your hand that

hurts."-Little Chronicle. Up to Her. Mr. Crimsonb.a..-You women never know when to say no. Mrs. Crimsonbeak-I'd like to know

why we don't. "Because, if you'd have said no when I asked you to marry me, see the trouble you would have saved!"-Yonhers Statesman.

Grounds for Divorce. Newed-Aias! I am a disappointed man. My wife cannot sing. Oldwed-Can't sing! Why, man, that ought to be a cause for rejoicing. You are to be congratuated.

Newed-Yes, but the trouble is she

thinks she can. Clacinnati Enquirer.

And He Is Thinking Yet. "Your little birdle has been very, BEFORE very Ill," she wrote to the young man. 'It is some sor, of nervous trouble, and the doctors said I must have perlect rest and quiet, and that I must think of nothing. And all the time,

The young man read it over, and then read it through very slowly, and put it in his poches, and went out unier the silent stars, and kept thinking, and thinking, and thinking.-Tit-Bits.

lear Gussy, a thought constantly of

The magistrate was one of those peace lovers who hate to see their fellow-men get tangled up in legal wran-"Don't you think," he asked, after he

and heard a statement of the case,

'that this is something that could be settled out of court?" "Can't be done, your worship," replied the plaintiff, promptly; "I per between 4th and 5th Street thought of that, but the coward won't stood

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